

MR. THARIATHU KUNJITHOMMAN : നൂറുപേർ പബ്ലിക് സർവീസുകാരികളുടെ ആഫീസിൽ ഉള്ളതിൽ സറായൻ കത്തോലിക്കരിൽനിന്നും ഒരു പ്യൂണിനേപ്പോലും നിയമിക്കാതിരുന്നതിന് കാരണമെന്താണ്? ഈ സമുദായത്തിൽനിന്നും എഫീഷ്യൻസി ഉള്ളവർ അപേക്ഷകന്മാരായില്ലാതിരുന്നതു കൊണ്ടാണോ ?

DR. G. D. NOKES : Some were transferred from other offices and a few were recruited under the Rules, and therefore it happened that there was no member of the community mentioned.

MR. THARIATHU KUNJITHOMMAN : ആഫീസ് നിയമനങ്ങളുടെ പ്രതിഫലമായ അല്ലെ മറ്റു നിയമനങ്ങളിലും ചെളിപ്പെട്ടു കൊണ്ടിരിക്കുന്നതു

DR. G. D. NOKES : No, Sir.

Export duty on coir and copra.

372 **MR. A. K. KUMARAN VAIDYAN** (*Kunnathnad cum Parur*): Will the Government be pleased to state :

(a) the rate at which copra and coir are valued for the purpose of fixing the export duty ;

(b) the present market value of copra and coir ;

(c) the average market value of copra and coir for the past one year ; and

(d) what steps have the Government taken to redress the hardships caused by the differences in the market value and the valuation for the purpose of fixing the export duty?

MR. M. P. JOSEPH : (a) For the purpose of levying export duty, copra is valued at the rate of Rs. 10 per cwt. and coir at the rate of Rs. 12 per cwt.

(b) The present market value of copra is Rs. 43 per candy. The market value of coir ranges from Rs. 30 to Rs. 58 per candy.

(c) The average market value of copra for the last year is Rs. 42 per candy and that of coir ranges between Rs. 30 to Rs. 61 per candy.

(d) Steps were taken from time to time by Government to adjust the tariff values of copra and coir with reference to their market values.

Coir yarn Shipped to South African Ports.

373. ***MR. M. L. JANARDANA PILLAI** (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the quantity and value of coir yarn shipped to South African Ports from Travancore?

MR. M. P. JOSEPH : The statement showing the quantity and value of coir yarn shipped to South African Ports from Travancore from the year 1934 to 1939 is laid on the table.

*Competitive Examinations conducted by the
Public Service Commissioner.*

374. MR. T. T. KESAVAN SASTRI: Will the Government be pleased to state the number of candidates that came out successful in the competitive examinations conducted by the Public Service Commissioner and the number among them who were given appointments?

DR. G. D. NOKES: Four.

Examinations conducted by the Public Service Commissioner.

375. MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(a) how many examinations were conducted by the Public Service Commissioner for selection of candidates for recruitment to the intermediate division with the dates and the total number of candidates declared to have passed in the said examinations respectively ;

(b) whether all of them have been recruited to the Public Service and, if not, the total number so far recruited (up to 30-11-1114)

(c) how many among so appointed by the Public Service Commissioner are still in service and how many are out of service ;

(d) the names of 10 persons in the first list, who are without job after the expiry of the period for which the first appointment was made by the Public Service Commissioner, and the respective period of the first appointment, and also the date on which they were respectively relieved from duty

(e) the number of candidates appointed in the Registration Department under the advice of the Public Service Commissioner, who were already confirmed in the Department, with the respective dates of such first appointments and the dates of confirmation and their respective number in the list maintained by the Public Service Commissioner;

(f) the number of persons who were recruited by the Public Service Commissioner to the intermediate division and who are without appointment for more than 2 years after the expiry of the period of first appointment ;

(g) the number of persons who were recruited by the Public Service Commissioner to the intermediate division and who are without appointment for more than one year, after the expiry of the period of first appointment :

(h) whether the Public Service Commissioner has recruited any persons to the intermediate division who have not passed the examinations referred to in (a) and the total number and names of such persons with the respective dates of their appointments ; and

(i) if the answer to part (h) is in the affirmative, the reasons for such appointments ?

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Appendix XIII.

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Statement showing the quantity and value of coir yarn exported to South African Ports during the last five years from the Travancore Ports.

Article.	1934-35		1935-36		1936-37		1937-38		1938-39	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Coir yarn	Cwts.	Rs.	Cwts.	Rs.	Cwts.	Rs.	Cwts.	Rs.	Cwts.	Rs.
	1,020	10,710	1,839	16,551	2,705	23,162	226	2,260	1,471	15,446